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PEOPLE'S FORUM

NURSE STRONG FACTOR IN WHITE PLAGUE FIGHT

The assurance that the district nurse is to be employed in the work of stamping out tuberculosis by the Fairfield County Anti-Tuberculosis Association, comes as good news to those who are interested in the cause and who are trying to help in the work. Because, in our opinion, the nurse is the most potent agency in teaching the people what they ought to do to prevent others from taking the disease, and showing them directly how to do it. And while her efforts are necessarily limited, because there are so few of her, they will be put where they are most needed. Object teaching is the most efficient method of imparting knowledge necessarily so. People may go to hear the lecture or the talk, by way of amusement, to merely while away the time or to be in one another's company. They probably will remember little of what they hear. They are likely to have forgotten it before they have walked a block upon the street on their way home.

Much less then, can they put any part of it into practical use afterward. Or they may not really receive any of it. It may, so to speak, go in at one ear and out of the other, the mind mean while occupied with other things, or perhaps being all a blank. People may read in book, paper or magazine whatever may be written. But it makes no impression upon them; they do not retain it. Few people can repeat correctly a sentence which they have just read. But when a nurse goes into a room she attracts by her presence the demands and secures attention by what she says, she teaches by what she does. You can see and hear and comprehend and know, and do not forget.

What idea would a person get about making a bed if she were to go by direction at word alone and had not seen it done? The work would be bunglingly accomplished nor would the bed be a very comfortable one to sleep in. But the trained nurse goes into the home, will show to some who think they are adepts at it, points out the making of a bed which shall add pleasure through the eyes and comfort through the sense of feeling. Few people comparatively know what cleanliness is, as the trained nurse knows it and she will demonstrate to their eyes cleanliness of person, of clothing, of table, of floor, of house—cleanliness which will not permit the presence of germ or of disease. And this is a thing which cannot be taught by any word, written or spoken.

The uniform of a nurse is her badge of office, her credential, and she will secure her at once and always attention and respect. Let us welcome then the district nurse, and willingly contribute to her support, thankful that we can have her. Let us be glad that she is available and let us give her every word of encouragement possible. Lawrence Vail, Director of the Tuberculosis Committee of the Charity Organization Society of New York, in a letter to the Editor of the *Times*, says: "I regard the nurse as the most important factor in the anti-tuberculosis movement. You will find that more good will come through the employment of such a nurse than probably through any other means."

Dr. Livingston Farrand, the Executive Secretary of the Anti-Tuberculosis Association says, "I do not hesitate to say that in my judgment at the present time, the best result from a sum of money such as that at your disposal, and in a city such as Fairfield, will be obtained by the employment of a special visiting nurse."

There is no better educational agency in existence for such purpose than the visiting nurse, and more would be done in the direct line of prevention by such an agency than in any other way. But she should be a special tuberculosis nurse who devotes her work to this department alone. The Executive Committee of the Association have done well in taking this advance step.

Litchfield County News.

A Missing Man.—A searching party who left Norfolk Sunday morning in hope of ascertaining something concerning the whereabouts of William Pitcher, who wandered away from the home of relatives in Winsted on July 4, returned late that afternoon without having found a trace of the missing man. The woods in Colebrook where Mr. Pitcher was last seen were systematically searched.

Memorial to Henry Gay.—One of the prettiest memorial windows ever erected in Winsted and one which is a credit to the beautiful edifice it adorns, has recently been installed in the Second Congregational Church for Mrs. Charlotte E. Gay in memory of her husband, Henry Gay. It is illustrative of the Twenty-third Psalm, showing a figure of Christ with one hand resting on the shoulder of a boy and a shepherd's crook in the other. The boy holds a musical instrument in his hands. A green valley with a stream winding in and out among the hills forms an enhancing background.

WANT ADS. CENT A WORD.

Big Doings for

Jerseymen Near

Final arrangements for the entertainment of the Thos. J. Jones Association, of Newark, on Wednesday, Aug. 4, by the Pacific Engine Company, of this city, will be completed this evening at a meeting of the company at 8:30 o'clock at their rooms. The Pacific Company were well pleased with their treatment by the Newark firemen in the recent muster in that city and intend this time to do even better in the way of hospitality to their visiting brothers. The visitors are expected to arrive in this city about 4 p. m. Aug. 4, on the steamer "Commodore" and will land at the city dock. Here they will be met by the Wheeler & Wilson band, who will escort them to Germania Hall where chowder and roast will be served. A big sheep roast will be cooked in the lot adjoining the hall and served in the Rathskeller. In the evening the following concert program will take place in the main hall. The Criterion Quartet; Loren Delbridge, vocal solos; Messrs Miller and Harvey, buck and wing dancers; Charles Myers, buck dancing on roller skates; Peter Farrell, solos; Madame Olga, late of Hammersteins, in Salome dancing; James Wieler, bass solos; Frank Buckley, coon and coon songs; Prof. Edward Keenan, Henry Rieley and Joseph Whalen in piano solos; concert by the Wheeler & Wilson band. Accommodations for 100 have been secured for the use of the visitors at the Windsor Hotel.

Weather Indications.

New Haven, July 29.—Forecast: Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. The disturbance central over Montana yesterday morning has moved eastward and is now over the Lake Michigan region. It is producing heavy clouds with heavy showers in the Lake region. Definite rain reports 4.8 inches of rainfall during the past 24 hours. This vicinity is now and will continue on the southern edge of this disturbance during the next 36 hours.

Conditions favor for this vicinity warm, muggy weather with a chance of local showers tonight and Friday.

Fairfield County News.

Over Site For Park.—The proposed gift of a small triangular piece of land by Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer to be maintained as a park, to the borough of Greenwich, has divided the city in two factions. The burgesses have decided to offer the matter to a committee of the town. Mrs. Havemeyer some time ago offered a piece of land in the southern part of the borough to the government as a site for a post office at a price smaller than other bidders asked for a tract of equal size, but her offer was made with the proviso that the tract adjoining should be accepted by the borough as a park. The proposed park and post office site are removed from that part of the town where most of the business is located.

N. Y. Wholesale Prices.

BUTTER.—Creamery, specials, 27c@27½c; extras, 26½c@27c; state, 27c@27½c; 25c@26c; good to choice, 23½c@24½c.
EGGS.—State and nearby, selected, whites, hennery, 29c@32c; gathered whites, 24c@25c; gathered browns, fair to choice, 27c@28c; gathered browns, fair to choice, 25c@26c.
FRUITS.—Apples, choice, hand picked, per double bush, \$2.50@3.00; open head bbls., \$2.25@2.50; cherries, sweet, per 8-lb. basket, 35c@75c; sour, per 8-lb. basket, 40c@80c; currants, red, per quart, 6½c@7½c; blackberries, per quart, 7c@11c; raspberries, red, per pint, 5c@9c; blackcap, per pint, 7c@12c; huckleberries, per quart, 7c@12c.
BEANS AND STRAW.—Hay, Timothy, prime, large bales, per 100 lb., \$1.02½; No. 3 to No. 1, 80c@81c; shipping, 70c@72½c; packing, 50c; clover and clover mixed, 40c@50c; straw, long ryb, 80c@90c; short and tangled ryb, 55c; oat and wheat, 40c.
POULTRY.—DRESSED.—Broilers, fancy, per pair, 40c@50c; fancy, 3 to 4 lb. to pair, 24c@25c; fowls, 4 lb. and over to dozen, 17c; under 4 lb., 15½c@16½c; turkeys, 11c@20c; spring ducks, 17c; squabs, prime, large white, per dozen, \$2.25@2.50; poor dark, \$1.25.
VEGETABLES.—Potatoes, Long Island, per bbl., \$1.75@2.25; Jersey, fair to prime, 1.50@1.75; asparagus, per dozen bunches, \$1.00@1.25; carrots, per 100 bunches, \$1.00@1.50; cabbages, flat Dutch, per 100 bunches, \$1.00@1.50; corn, per 100, \$1.00@1.50; cucumbers, per basket, 75c@81c; cucumber pickles, per bbl., \$2.00@3.00; celery, per dozen stalks, 10c@40c; lima beans, per quart, 6½c@7½c; string beans, green, per basket, \$1.00@1.25; wax, 75c@1.25; spinach, per bbl., 50c@75c; squash, marrow, per bbl., 75c@81c; white, per bbl., 50c@75c; yellow, crookneck, per bbl., 50c@81c; turnips, rutabaga, new, per bbl., \$1; white, per 100 bunches, \$1.50@2.50; white, per bbl., \$1.00@1.50; tomatoes, per box, 50c@1.50.
SEEDS.—Clover, \$6.70; Timothy, \$1.97½.

JEROME MAY KEEP

THAW ON STAND FOR WHOLE WEEK

(By William Travers Jerome, for the United Press.)
My examination of Harry K. Thaw has just begun. I propose to question him closely on every detail of his trials for the killing of Stanford White and if necessary, on every detail of the 38 years of his life. I shall settle once and for all the question of his sanity which has lasted for years and years and I am glad to get it.

(By Harry K. Thaw, for the United Press.)
I am confident I can withstand any cross-examination of Jerome. Yesterday proved that, I think. I don't care how long he keeps me there. I am satisfied I can prove to Justice Mills that I am absolutely sane. This is my first opportunity to do anything for myself in my battle for life and liberty which has lasted for years and years and I am glad to get it.

Court House, White Plains, N. Y., July 29.—A sane man and a legally insane man fought a battle here yesterday and the "insane" man won. Harry Thaw, jubilant over his victory yesterday, faced the jury confidently to-day. Everyone who saw and heard his testimony was surprised. His relatives and counsel enthusiastically declare that his release is but a matter of days. Jerome, however, entered the courtroom with three bags of documents to-day, prepared to keep up the battle of the brains. Yesterday Jerome was so astounded by the mental poise of Thaw that he begged the witness to submit to a private examination by alienists. Thaw insisted that the public examination proceed. Thaw has indicated that his attitude toward the charges of corrupt practices against him will be a total denial. He has already said these charges were made by blackmailers. Despite a broiling heat, the courtroom was packed with women. Justice Mills before opening court, warned the spectators that there must be no more applause as on yesterday. Before recalling Thaw, Attorney Morschauer recalled Clifford W. Hartridge who was under oath to produce the books which Miss Susan A. Merrill said she gave him to show how she had been paid vast sums of "hush money" to 200 girls. Hartridge said he made a careful search for the books but had been unable to find them. Morschauer then gave up his attempt to get the books and asked Hartridge for certain writings of Thaw, given by the prisoner to Hartridge when he was acting as Thaw's counsel. Hartridge objected saying the writings were private between client and attorney.

Y. M. C. A. Night School Planning Work for 1910

The Educational Department of the Y. M. C. A. is planning for a big year in the night school and is advertising for more teachers. Several radical changes were made in the working policy of the school. The students were divided in smaller groups. The men were separated from the boys. The equipment was improved and all miscellaneous supplies were furnished by the school. The instruction was made more practical and was placed under the supervision of a trained specialist who devoted all of his time to teaching and supervision. The students were carefully graded and given what experience had demonstrated that they needed. The result was that the work interested and held the 135 students enrolled as never before, some of the groups continuing into the hot weather of June. A large number of these old students are coming back this year for advanced work and the prospect for new pupils is very bright. The strongest possible men are desired for teachers and the association is looking for them in good season.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

A pleasant surprise party was given at the home of Jerome Carey, 195 Madison avenue, Monday evening, to Miss May Tidboald and Miss Lizzie Friebott in honor of their 16th birthdays. Dancing was enjoyed to the music of Wall's orchestra. Supper was served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. McGahey, Mr. and Mrs. Chittenden, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wall, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Carey, Mrs. Friebott, Mrs. Foster, Miss Kathryn Foster, Miss Loretta Foster, Miss Tisen, Miss Lillian Tidboald, Miss Sadie Winfield, Miss May Bethie, Miss Carrie Nelson, Miss May Tidboald, Miss Lizzie Friebott, Thomas Cheshire of Boston, Steward Tidboald, Master Geo. Tidboald, William Friebott, George Friebott, John Malone, H. S. Baldwin, James Campbell, Mr. Bethin and Robert Valcour.

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